



City Council Meeting Agenda

5:30 p.m.
May 24, 2016
300 West Cotton Street
Jo Ann Metcalf Municipal Building
City Hall Council Chamber

I. Call to Order

II. Invocation

III. Pledge of Allegiance

IV. Election Item

Presentation of Oath of Office to Council Member Elect of District No. 5 – Shelly Ballenger, City Secretary.

V. Employee Recognition

VI. Citizen Comment

VII. Presentation Item

Consideration and presentation of a Resolution honoring Keith Honey on the occasion of his retirement – Andy Mack, Mayor.

VIII. Mayor Mack's Scholarship Recipients

IX. Public Safety Update

A. Police

B. Fire

X. Action Items

- A. Consider a Resolution suspending the effective date of the application of Centerpoint Energy to increase rates under the Gas Reliability Infrastructure Program Rate Application for forty-five days – Jim Finley, City Attorney.
- B. Consider a Resolution approving a change in the rates of Atmos Energy Corporation, Mid-Tex Division ("ATMOS") as a result of a settlement between Atmos and the Atmos Texas Municipalities ("ATM") under the rate review mechanism – Jim Finley, City Attorney.
- C. Consider an Ordinance amending Chapter 13 of the Longview City Code to provide for the administration and enforcement of said chapter by Longview's Animal Services Division, to provide for the implantation of identification microchips in animals, to provide for the sterilization of animals under certain circumstances, and to clarify certain circumstances under which ownership of an animal passes to the City of Longview – Laura Hill, Director of Community Services.
- D. Consider a Resolution setting certain fees related to operations at the Longview Animal Care and Adoption Center – Laura Hill, Director of Community Services.

XI. Items of Community Interest

XII. Adjourn

Any final action, decision, or vote on a matter deliberated in a closed meeting will only be taken in an open meeting that is held in compliance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 551. The City Council reserves the right to adjourn into a closed meeting or executive session as authorized by Texas Government Code, Sections 551.001, et seq. (the Texas Open Meetings Act) on any item on its open meeting agenda in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, including, without limitation Sections 551.071-551.088 of the Texas Open Meetings Act. In addition, the City Council may consider a vote to excuse the absence of any City Council Member for absence from this meeting or for absence from any previous City Council meeting.

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